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AMEMBASSY CANBERRA

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E. O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, UN, AS

SUBJ: AGGRESSION COMMITTEE

1. AT THE AUSTRALIAN LUNCH FOR CO- SPONSORS SIX POWER TEXT EXCEPT ITALY WHICH UNABLE ATTEND (AUSTRALIA, CANADA, ITALY, JAPAN, US, UK) WYNDHAM (AUSTRALIA) ANNOUNCED (A) THEY WOULD BE ABLE CONTINUE AS CO- SPONSORS SIX- POWER TEXT (B) THEY COULD ACCEPT A DEFINITION WHICH DID NOT CONTAIN SPECIFIC REFERENCES TO INFILTRATION OF ARMED BANDS, CIVIL STRIFE, TERRORISM AND SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES.

2. WYNDHAM EXPLAINED THAT ATTITUDE OF NEW GOVERNMENT ON VIETNAM AND IN GENERAL LED TO THIS CHANGE. HE SAID GOA NOT ADVOCATING DELETION THESE REFERENCES BUT FULLY PREPARED ACCEPT DELETION.

3. MISOFF EXPRESSED VIEW USG WLD NOT BE WILLING EXCLUDE REFERENCES TO INDIRECT USES OF FORCE AND THAT OUR REASONS BY NO MEANS RELATED EXCLUSIVELY TO VIETNAM.

4. WANG (CANADA) SAID GOC WLD WANT RETAIN SPECIFIC CONFIDENTIAL

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REFERENCES TO INDIRECT USES OF FORCE FOR REASONS RELATED TO MIDDLE EAST AND GENERAL VIEW THAT DEFINITION

WHICH FAILED EXPRESSLY REFER TO TYPE OF VIOLENCE
WHICH SO PREVALENT IN RECENT YEARS WOULD BE SERIOUSLY
DEFECTIVE. FREELAND (UK) EXPRESSED IDENTICAL VIEW
AS DID YANAI (JAPAN).

5. IN RESPONSE DIRECT QUESTION FROM MISOFF WYNDHAM
EXPRESSED PERSONAL IMPRESSION AUSTRALIAN DEL WOULD
NOT PUBLICLY INDICATE THIS SHIFT IN POSITION WITHOUT
FURTHER CONSULTATION AMONG SIX- POWERS AND POSSIBLY
NOT AT ALL IF OTHER CO- SPONSORS DISAGREED.

6. COMMENT: WHILE WE DO NOT RECOMMEND DEMARCHE IN
CANBERRA UNTIL WE HAVE DISCUSSED MATTER WITH AUSTRALIAN
DELEGATION IN GENEVA BELIEVE DEMARCHE WILL BE NECESSARY
IF WYNDHAM' S GENERAL IMPRESSION THAT AUSTRALIA WILL
NOT PUBLICLY ESPOUSE NEW POSITION ABSENT AGREEMENT
OTHER CO- SPONSORS TURNS OUT TO BE INACCURATE. END
COMMENT.

7. GROUP AGREED WESTERN GROUP WOULD MEET 11 AM WED
APR 25 AT US MISSION GENEVA. WOULD APPRECIATE IT IF
MISSION MAKES CONFERENCE ROOM CAPABLE HOLDING 25
PEOPLE AVAILABLE AT THAT TIME.
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